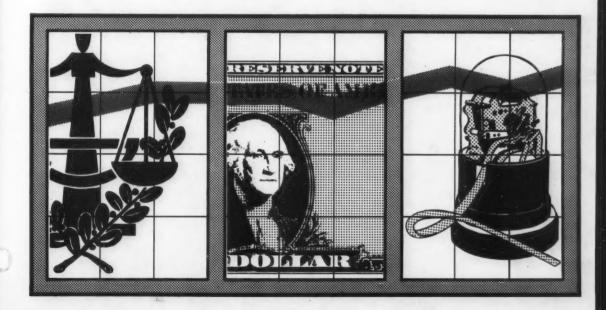
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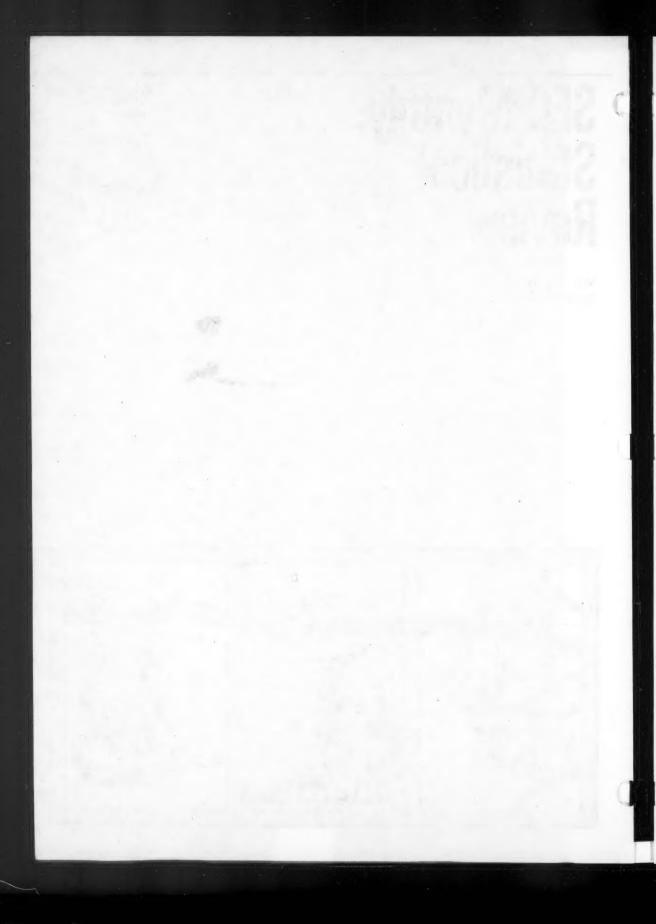


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Market Statistics

The market value of equity sales on U.S. securities exchanges for the first two months of 1984 was \$184.4 billion, a 27% increase over the \$145.7 billion for the same months in 1983.

The value of stocks traded in January and February 1984 was \$176.5 billion, compared to the \$135.2 billion traded during the same period in 1983. The volume of stocks traded increased from 5.0 billion shares in 1983 to 5.5 billion in 1984 an increase of 11%. The market value of stock options traded on the exchanges totaled \$7.8 billion in January and February of 1984, a decrease of 25% from the \$10.4 billion traded in the same year-earlier period. Contract volume in the first two months of 1984 increased by 15% from 1983 (Table M-110).

The number of stock put options traded during the first two months of 1984 increased by 1.2 million or 21% to 6.8 million in 1984 from 5.6 million traded in 1983. The value of these contracts increased from \$1.2 billion in 1983 to \$1.7 billion in 1984. The number of options exercised and the dollar value of these options rose by 242% to 1,030 and by 310% to \$5.6 billion, respectively. The number of call contracts traded increased by 13% to 18.1 million and their value declined by 33% to \$16.1 million, over their 1983 levels. The number of call option contracts exercised decreased 19% but their value rose 5% (Table M-210).

Open interest in stock put options totaled 1.8 million contracts at the end of February 1984 versus 2.0 million a year earlier. Open interest in call options increased from 5.0 million contracts to 6.6 million for the same month in 1983.

Offering Statistics

Primary public offerings during the first two months of 1984 totaled \$18.0 billion. This was 11% above the \$16.2 billion for the comparable 1983 period. The 450 offerings this year were 5% greater than the year earlier. Issues offered through February 1984 averaged \$39.9 million compared to \$37.8 million for the same period last year (Table M-350). While year-to-date totals are up 11%, non-convertible bond sales increased 84%, (Table M-371) and other equity offerings increased 41%, (Table M-376). Other types of securities offerings combined (conventional common stock, preferred stock and convertible bonds) declined to \$2.6 billion from the \$7.3 billion offered a year earlier (Tables M-372, M-373 and M-375).

Large increases occurred in offerings by the Finance and Real Estate and Commercial sectors, while offerings by Manufacturing and Electric, Gas and Water firms fell.

Registration Statistics

Registrations which became effective through February 1984 totaled \$30.9 billion, 15% above the comparable 1983 figure, and included \$25.3 billion for immediate and extended cash sales and \$5.6 billion in registrations for non-cash transactions (Table M-450). The issue count, 1,446, was 25% higher than the comparable 1983 figure.

The 74 corporate delayed registrations filed through February 1984 averaged \$176 million and represented 51% of the immediate and extended cash sale total. This year these registrations are twice as large as the 88 corporate delayed registrations filed through February 1983, which averaged \$88 million and accounted for 37% of the immediate and extended cash sale total. Registrations for initial primary and secondary common stock offerings totaled \$750 million, versus \$632 million through February 1983.

Offerings by Security Type 1983 - 1984 (value in millions of dollars)

(Through February)

	1983	3	198	4
	Number of Issues (%)	Value (%)	Number of Issues (%)	Value (%)
Common Stock				
and Other	272	\$5,787	318	\$4,483
Equity	(63%)	(36%)	(71%)	(25%)
Preferred	36	2,588	12	820
Stock	(88)	(16%)	(2%)	(5%)
Convertible	20	1,114	8	354
Bonds	(5%)	(7%)	(2%)	(2%)
Non-Convertible	101	6,732	112	12,307
Bonds	(24%)	(41%)	(25%)	(68%)
Totals	429	\$16,221	450	\$17,964
	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)

(Tables M-371 - M-376)

Offerings By Industry Sectors

(Through February)

Industry Sector	1983	1984	Percentage Change
Finance and Real Estate	\$ 5,790	\$11,178	93%
Manufacturing	3,864	1,279	-67%
Commercial	1,301	2,345	808
Communication	205	259	26%
Transportation	947	153	-84%
Extractive	1,684	955	-43%
Sales and Consumer Finance	349	899	158%
Electric, Gas and Water	2,081	986	-57%
Total	\$16,221	\$17,964	

(Table M-370)

M-110: MARKET VALUE AND VOLUME OF EQUIT (Data in Tho

FEBRUARY 1984

REGISTERED	Total	Sto	ocks
STOCK	Market		
EXCHANGES	\$Value	\$Value	Shares
American	2,884,956	1,930,374	135,197
Boston	556,206	556,206	17,098
*Chicago Option	1,578,218	0	0
Cincinnati	124,350	124,350	3,887
*Midwest	5,125,357	5,125,357	149,383
New York	79,313,931	79,281,873	2,411,593
*Pacific	2,692,828	2,438,793	85,045
Philadelphia	1,694,090	1,280,855	59,519
*Intermountain	83	83	101
*Spokane	1,661	1,661	1,440
Year to date			
1983 Jan-Feb	145,723,414	135,244,824	4,950,947
1984 Jan-Feb	184,383,310	176,483,441	5,482,434
1982 Dec	83,649,523	73,704,460	2,547,108
1983 Jan	76,061,776	69,588,292	2,401,636
Feb	69,661,638	65,656,532	2,189,311
1983 Dec	92,301,235	84,384,359	2,637,588
1984 Jan	90,411,630	85,743,889	2,619,171
Feb	93,971,680	90,739,552	2,863,263

^{1/} Includes all exchange trades in puts and calls. Value and exercises are shown in Table M-210. Exercises are

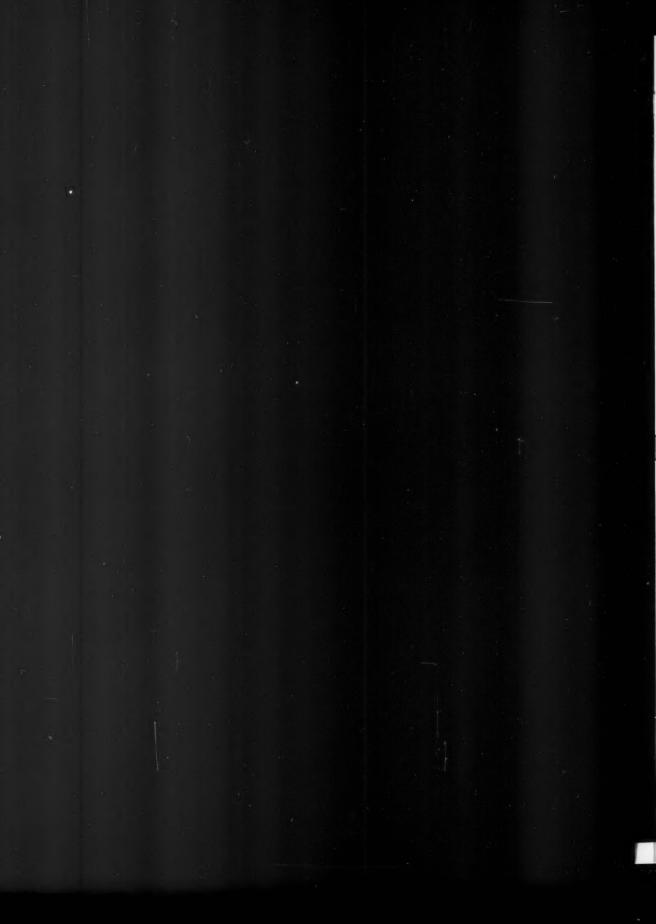
⁺ = Less than 500

OUITY SALES ON U.S. SECURITIES EXCHANGES Thousands)

nts	Righ	nts	Warra	Options		
Units	\$Value	Units	\$Value	Contracts	\$Value	
77	32	2,572	12,114	3,124	942,436	
0	0	0	0	.0	0	
0	0	0	0	5,935	1,578,218	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
296	31	5,621	32,027	0	0	
0	0	179	885	1,037	253,150	
0	0	6	20	1,636	413,215	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	+	19,352	108,232	21,606	10,370,358	
573	88	16,888	95,293	24,773	7,804,488	
0	0	10,197	91,896	12,949	9,853,167	
0	0	9,103	52,985	12,537	6,420,499	
. 0	+	10,249	55,247	9,069	3,949,859	
3,789	734	11,189	58,158	13,289	7,857,984	
200	25	8,510	50,247	13,041	4,617,469	
373	63	8,378	45,046	11,732	3,187,019	

tue and volume of put and call trading are not included in these totals.

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Market Value and Volume of Equity Security Sales on U.S. Securities Exchanges

Data on the value and volume of equity security sales are reported in connection with fees paid under Section 31 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended by the Securities Acts Amendments of 1975. The reports include odd-lot, as well as round-lot, transactions.

Data of those exchanges marked with an asterisk cover transactions cleared during the calendar month; clearance usually occurs within five days of the execution of a trade. Data of other exchanges cover transactions effected on trade dates falling within the reporting month. The inconsistency introduced by these two different methods of aggregating the data is not considered to be significant, and, accordingly, all registered exchanges are aggregated and reported in monthly summaries.

Stock trading data include the trading of voting trust certificates, certificates of deposit for stocks, and American Depository Receipts for stock.

Trading in rights is included in the warrants trading data for all periods prior to January 1972.

M-210: MARKET VOLUME AND VALUE OF EXCHANGE-TRADED STOCK PUT OPTIONS BY EXCHANGE

	CBOE	AMEX	PHLX	PSE	Total	Total Exercised	Open Interest 1/
		Number		Contracts sands)	Traded		
1981 1982	16,783 25,507	8,430 11,101	1,905 3,588	1,343	28,463 42,839	2,872 3,248	2,035 2,871
1983	18,936	9,508	4,486	2,852	35,782	2,494	3,033
Year to Date							
1983 Jan-Feb	3,149	1,564	539	370	5,622	301	1,966
1984 Jan-Feb	3,496	1,524	1,182	472	6,674	1,030	1,833
1982 Dec	2,064	975	266	286	3,591	108	2,871
1983 Jan	1,840	899	279	210	3,228	153	2,098
Feb	1,309	665	260	160	2,394	148	1,966
1983 Dec	2,019	845	449	274	3,587	419	3,033
1984 Jan	1,726	767	561	258	3,312	424	2,159
Feb	1,770	757	621	214	3,362	606	1,833
		Value	of Put O	ontracts	Traded		
				llions)			
1981	5,418	2,572	548	288	8,826	15,862	N.A.
1982	7,101	2,726	864	580	11,271	15,592	N.A.
1983	4,585	2,700	1,123	619	9,027	11,611	N.A.
Year to Date							
1983 Jan-Feb	655	354	104	64	1,177	1,366	N.A.
1984 Jan-Feb	913	368	296	89	1,666	5,604	N.A.
1982 Dec	473	199	54	59	785	486	N.A.
1983 Jan	390	204	53	39	686	835	N.A.
Feb	265	150	51	25	491	531	N.A.
1983 Dec	446	307	101	45	899	903	N.A.
1984 Jan	408	173	123	41	745	2,584	N.A.
Feb	505	195	173	48	921	3,020	N.A.
						0,020	210220

N.A.= Not Applicable

(See Explanatory Notes)

^{1/} Open interest data are year-end, period-end and month-end data

M-210: MARKET VOLUME AND VALUE OF EXCHANGE-TRADED STOCK CALL OPTIONS BY EXCHANGE

	CBOE	AMEX	PHLX	PSE	Total	Total Exercised	Open Interest 1/
		Number	of Call (s Traded		
1981	40,799	26,429	8,103	5,610	80,946	4,559	6,460
1982	50,214	27,663	9,880	6,667	94,424	5,954	6,920
1983	52,083	26,313	11,956	8,154	98,506	11,135	8,853
Year to Date 1983 Jan-Feb 1984 Jan-Feb	8,677 9,286	4,360 4,858	1,781 2,180	1,167	15,985 18,101	2,973 2,407	5,001 6,619
1982 Dec	5,094	2,759	893	612	9,358	647	6,920
1983 Jan	5,080	2,568	1,014	648	9,310	1,689	5,534
Feb	3,597	1,792	767	519	6,675	1,284	5,001
1983 Dec	5,646	2,177	1,061	817	9,701	742	8,853
1984 Jan	5,120	2,491	1,164	954	9,729	1,801	6,840
Feb	4,166	2,367	1,016	823	8,372	606	6,619
		Value	of Call C		Traded		
1981	17,017	11,245	2,978	1,631	32,868	18,787	N.A.
1982	25,165	11,593	3,466	2,168	42,390	21,526	N.A.
1983	31,159	12,322	4,055	2,923	50,459	53,448	N.A.
Year to Date 1983 Jan-Feb 1984 Jan-Feb	5,826 3,553	2,245 1,472	700 599	420 513	9,191 6,137	13,371 14,076	N.A. N.A.
1982 Dec	5,652	2,623	491	302	9,068	2,206	N.A.
1983 Jan	3,721	1,375	401	236	5,733	8,249	N.A.
Feb	2,105	870	299	184	3,458	5,122	N.A.
1983 Dec	4,989	1,297	356	317	6,959	2,931	N.A.
1984 Jan	2,480	725	359	308	3,872	11,709	N.A.
Feb	1,073	747	240	205	2,265	2,367	N.A.

N.A. = Not Applicable

(See Explanatory Notes)

^{1/} Open interest data are year-end, period-end and month-end data.

M-230: PUT AND CALL CONTRACT VOLUME OF BROAD BASED STOCK INDEX OPTIONS
(Thousands of Contracts)

		AMEX		CBOE		NYSE	
	PUT	CALL	PUT	CALL	PUT	CALL	
Year 1983	1,030	1,083	5,458	5,152	294	363	
Year to Date							
1983 Jan-Feb	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	
1984 Jan-Feb	465	424	3,570	3,178	323	353	
1982 Dec	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	
1983 Jan	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	
Feb	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	
1983 Dec	128	143	972	922	93	128	
1984 Jan	206	213	1,213	1,328	104	167	
Feb	259	211	2,357	1,850	219	186	

NT - Not yet traded

Note: Trading in broad based stock index options began as follows: AMEX Major Market Index - April 29, 1983; AMEX Market Value Index - July 11, 1983; CBOE's S&P 100-March 11, 1983; CBOE's S&P 500 - July 11, 1983; NYSE Composite Index - September 23, 1983.

Sources: Options Clearing Corporation Statistical Report, AMEX

M-240: PUT AND CALL CONTRACT VOLUME OF NARROW BASED STOCK INDEX OPTIONS
(Thousands of Contracts)

	AM	EX	CE	OE	PH	LX	P	SE
	PUT	CALL	PUT	CALL	PUT	CALL	PUT	CALL
Year 1983	248	334	17	36	3	4	NT	NT
Year to Date								
1983 Jan-Feb	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
1984 Jan-Feb	119	154	3	6	6	10	28	31
1982 Dec	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
1983 Jan	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
1983 Feb	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
1983 Dec	49	61	3	5	3	4	NT	NT
1984 Jan	49	67	2	3	2	4	16	16
Feb	70	87	1	3	4	6	12	15

NT - Not yet traded

Note: Trading in narrow based stock index options began as follows: AMEX Computer Technology Index - August 26, 1983; AMEX Oil & Gas Index - September 9, 1983; CBOE's S&P International Oil Index - September 9, 1983; CBOE's S&P Computer and Business Equipment Index - September 28, 1983; PHLX Gold/Silver Index - December 19, 1983; PHLX Gambling/Hotel Index - December 16, 1983; PSE Technology Index - January 3, 1984.

Sources: Options Clearing Corporation Statistical Report, CBOE, AMEX

M-250: PUT AND CALL CONTRACT VOLUME OF FOREIGN CURRENCY AND INTEREST RATE OPTIONS

(Thousands of Contracts)

	FOREIGN	CURRENCY 1/		INTERES	ET RATE	
	PH	LX		CBOE	Al	MEX
	PUT	CALL	PUT	CALL	PUT	CALL
Year 1982	1	2	4	10	9 .	15
1983	67	128	35	76	21	54
Year to Date						
1983 Jan-Feb	5	5	3 7	10	6 2	12
1984 Jan-Feb	59	74	7	15	2	3
1982 Dec	1	2	2	5	3	5
1983 Jan	2	2	1 2	4	3 3 3	7
Feb	3	. 3	2	6	3	5
1983 Dec	12	17	5	6	1	1
1984 Jan	27	31	5 2 5	6	1	1
Feb	32	43	5	9	1	2

Source: Options Clearing Corporation Statistical Report

^{1/} Trading in the PHLX foreign currency options began as follows: British Pound - December 10, 1982; Canadian Dollar - February 11, 1983; German Marc - February 4, 1983; Swiss Franc - January 26, 1983; Japanese Yen - January 14, 1983.

^{2/} Trading in interest rate options began as follows: AMEX T-Notes - October 22, 1982; AMEX T-Bills - November 5, 1982; CBOE T-Bonds - October 22, 1982.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Exchange-Traded Options

A call option gives the purchaser the right to buy and a put option gives the purchaser the right to sell the underlying unit at a specified price by a specified date. Underlying one stock option contract is 100 shares of stock. Amounts underlying foreign currency options vary with each currency. Foreign currency options are traded on the British pound, Canadian dollar, West German mark, Swiss franc and the Japanese yen. Interest rate options are traded on specific issues of Treasury bonds, Treasury bills, and Treasury notes.

Unlike other option products, stock index options are settled in cash. Broad based stock index options are based on an index of a group of stocks that reflect the overall market. Narrow based stock index options are based on a group of stocks that represent a specific industry.

The expiration date of an option is the Saturday following the third Friday of the designated expiration month. Nearly all index options expire monthly. All other options expire quarterly and belong to one of three expiration cycles: (1) January-April-July-October; (2) February-May-August-November; and (3) March-June-September-December. Options are traded in the nearest three of the four expiration months of a cycle, thus, options with nine different expriation months are traded simultaneously.

The number and dollar value of call and put stock option contracts sold monthly by each exchange are reported in Table M-210. Contract volume includes both opening transactions (which establish new long or short options positions) and closing transactions (which eliminate long or short option positions). Long positions in options are eliminated through closing sales, exercise, or expirations.

Call and put contract volume of broad based index options and narrow based index options, by exchange, are reported in Tables M-230 and M-240, respectively. Call and put contract volume of foreign currency and interest rate options, by exchange, are reported in Table M-250.

M-350: GROSS PROCEEDS FROM PRIMARY PUBLIC OF

		Foreign	Total	
		Government	Business	R
			Ar	mounts in
1981		3,367	65,603	
1982		1,273	72,151	
1983		1,567	100,345	
Year to date				
1983 Jan-Feb		474	16,221	
1984 Jan-Feb	n	297	17,964	
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1982 Dec		0	7,577	
1983 Jan		Ö	7,769	
Feb		474	8,449	
100		4/4	0,443	
1983 Dec		250	5,965	
1984 Jan		198	7,827	
Feb	p	99	10,137	
	P		10/13/	
			a,	Number
1981		32	2,371	
1982		21	2,088	
1983		12	3,313	
Year to date			0,020	
1983 Jan-Feb		3	429	
1984 Jan-Feb	p	2	450	
	E	_	450	
1982 Dec		0	221	
1983 Jan		0	188	
Feb		3	241	
1983 Dec		2	290	
1984 Jan		1	237	
Feb	p	1	213	

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OFFERINGS, BY TYPE OF OFFERING: 1981-1984

1933 Act Registrations	Regulation A	Public Exempt Offerings
in \$ millions		
64,397	253 .	953
71,329	143	679
99,545	118	682
16,070	17	131
17,948	16	0
7,548	5	24
7,732	6	31
8,338	11	100
5,911	35	19
7,820	7	0
10,128	9	0
r of issues		
2,035	314	21
1,887	185	16
3,180	121	12
403	23	3
432	18	0
214	6	1
177	9	2
226	14	2 1
277	12	1
228	9	0
204	9	0

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M-370: GROSS PROCEEDS FROM PRIMARY PUB

		Total Business	Manufac- turing	Extrac- tive	Electric Gas and Water	Trans- porta- tion
					Amou	unts in \$
1	981	65,603	15,463	8,553	13,304	1,897
	982	72,151	13,237	6,923	16,408	2,091
	983	100,345	22,742	8,580	12,048	4,157
Year to d					,	.,
1983 Jan-		16,221	3,862	1,684	2,081	947
1984 Jan-	-		1,279	955	897	153
1982	Dec	7,577	1,435	234	1,443	46
	Jan	7,769	1,970	1,243	859	386
	Feb	8,449	1,892	441	1,222	561
1983	Dec	5,965	1,267	360	433	508
1984	Jan	7,827	615	823	467	64
	Feb	p 10,137	664	132	429	89
					N	umber of i
	981	2,371	616	486	244	80
]	982	2,088	415	260	264	73
	983	3,313	982	223	206	111
Year to d		420	105	27	20	20
1983 Jan-		429	125	37	36	20
1984 Jan-	-reb	p 450	94	35	14	10
1982	Dec	221	51	15	23	4
1983	Jan	188	53	23	14	10
	Feb	241	72	14	22	10
1983	Dec	290	91	11	12	10
1984	Jan	237	48	21	8	5
	Feb	p 213	46	14	6	5
					1500	Evalanato

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PUBLIC OFFERINGS, BY INDUSTRY: 1981 - 1984

ns- ta- n	Commu- nication	Sales and Consumer Finance	Financial and Real Estate	Commer- cial and Other	Foreign Corporate Included
n \$ 1	millions				
897	5,871	1,451	14,292	4,772	1,711
091	3,894	2,333	20,756	6,508	1,323
157	5,508	2,268	32,447	12,595	2,583
947	205	349	5,788	1,301	263
153	258	899	11,178	2,346	113
46	1,586	100	1,795	938	35
386	187	199	2,340	584	138
561	18	150	3,448	717	125
508	12	448	2,234	704	171
64	239	624	3,756	1,240	23
89	20	275	7,422	1,105	90
of i	ssues				
80	82	27	364	471	40
73	54	35	507	480	20
111	87	32	720	952	55
20	10	5	109	87	7
10	16	10	141	130	4
4	7	2	45	74	1
10	7	3 2	47	31	3
10	3	2	62	56	4
10	2	4	53	107	4
5	9	7	66	73	3
5	7	3	75	57	1

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M-371: GROSS PROCEEDS FROM PRIMARY PUBLIC NON-COM

	Total Business	Manufac- turing	Extrac- tive	Electric Gas and Water
				Amount
1981	34,695	8,456	1,295	7,670
1982	41,002	9,099	1,100	9,141
1983	42,241	6,861	839	6,381
Year to date				
1983 Jan-Feb	6,732	1,481	335	1,000
1984 Jan-Feb p	12,307	544	27	527
1982 Dec	2,907	331	31	677
1983 Jan	4,055	893	325	312
Feb	2,677	588	10	688
1983 Dec	2,211	530	0	70
1984 Jan	4,854	179	27	243
Feb p	7,453	365	0	284
				Number
1981	423	81	14	106
1982	585	113	15	114
1983 Year to date	572	96	12	75
1983 Jan-Feb	101	25	4	12
1984 Jan-Feb p		8	1	6
1982 Dec	51	5	3	10
1983 Jan	54	13	3	3
Feb	47	12	1	9
1983 Dec	38	10	0	1
1984 Jan	59	4	1	3
Feb p		4	0	3

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-CONVERTIBLE	BOND	OFFERINGS,	BY	INDUSTRY:	1981	-	1984
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Sales and Financial Commer-

d	porta- tion	Commu- nication	Consumer Finance	and Real Estate	cial and Other
oun	ts in \$ m	illions			
	1,216	3,867	1,446	9,241	1,505
	1,083	1,119	2,333	14,090	3,037
	837	3,258	2,183	18,583	3,299
	81	0	349	2,929	557
	74	199	899	8,665	1,372
	24	125	100	1,314	305
	31	0	199	1,915	380
	50 ~	0	150	1,014	177
	19	0	398	1,045	149
	0	199	624	2,812	771
	74	0	275	5,853	601
ber	of issue	S			
	32	28	23	93	46
	19	14	33	189	88
	17	22	28	256	66
	3	0	5	43	9
	1	1	10	70	15
	1	1	2	18	11
	2	0	3	25	5
	1	0	2	18	4
	1	0	3 7	15	8
	0	1	7	34	9
	1	0	3	36	6

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M-372: GROSS PROCEEDS FROM PRIMARY PUBLIC CONVE

	Total Business	Manufac- turing	Extrac-	Electric Gas and Water
				Amounts in
1981	4,271	2,309	211	77
1982	3,002	905	4	0
1983	5,840	1,957	216	256
Year to date				
1983 Jan-Feb	1,114	355	142	0
1984 Jan-Feb p	354	0	0	100
1982 Dec	776	475	0	0
1983 Jan	307	135	40	0
Feb	807	220	102	0
1983 Dec	232	105	0	0
1984 Jan	213	0	0	0
Feb p	141	0	0	100
				Number o
1981	92	43	6	3
1982	74	16	1	0
1983 Year to date	114	39	5	3
1983 Jan-Feb	20	9	2	0
1984 Jan-Feb p	8 9	0	0	1
1982 Dec	14	4	0	0
1983 Jan	7	3	1	0
Feb	13	6	1	0
1983 Dec	5	2	0	0
1984 Jan	5	0	0	0
Feb p	9 3	0	0	1

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ONVERTIBLE BOND OFFERINGS, BY INDUSTRY: 1981 - 1984

c	Trans- porta- tion	Commu- nication	Sales and Consumer Finance	Financial and Real Estate	Commer- cial and Other
S	in \$ mill	ions			
	0	226	0	411	1,037
	300	549	0	514	730
	425	400	0	810	1,777
	235	0	0	185	197
	10	10	0	20	214
	0	100	0	55	146
	0	0	0	60	72
	235	0	0	125	125
	75	0	0	0	52
	10	10	0	0	193
	0	0	0	20	21
er	of issue	s			
	0	5	0	13	22
	10	5	0	13	29
	6	1	0	25	35
	2	0	0	3	4
	1	1	0	1	4
	1	1	0	2	6
	0	0	0	1	2
	2	0	0	2 1 2	6 2 2
	2				
		0	0	0	2
	1 1 0	0	0	0	2 3 1

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M-373: GROSS PROCEEDS FROM PRIMARY PUBLIC PREFER

	Total Business	Manufac- turing	Extrac- tive	Electric Gas and Water
				Amounts in \$
1981	1,696	467	0	1,061
1982	4,950	507	186	2,105
1983	7,548	1,237	362	1,763
Year to date				
1983 Jan-Feb	2,588	283	0	482
1984 Jan-Feb p	820	225	0	120
1982 Dec	418	150	0	211
1983 Jan	624	205	0	178
Feb	1,964	78	0	304
1983 Dec	288	40	7	104
1984 Jan	305	75	0	120
Feb p	515	150	0	0
				Number of
1981	50	10	0	26
1982	95	11	5	48
1983 Year to date	135	24	8	41
1983 Jan-Feb	36	5	0	11
1984 Jan-Feb p	12	3	0	2
1304 out 100 p	2.60	3	O	2
1982 Dec	10	3	0	5
1983 Jan	11	3 2	0	3
Feb	25	2	0	8
1983 Dec	8	1	1	3 2
1984 Jan	5	1 2	0	2
Feb p	7	2	0	0

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ic d	Trans- porta- tion	Commu- nication	Sales and Consumer Finance	Financial and Real Estate	Commer- cial and Other
in :	millions	5			
	12	0	0	105	51
	111	32	0	1,997	14
	571	0	80	3,270	265
	301	0	0	1,518	6
	0	0	0	460	15
	0	0	0	57	0
	211	0	0	31	0
	90	0	0	1,487	6
	31	0	50	56	0
	0	0	0	110	0
	0	0	0	350	15
ro	f issues				
	1	0	0	8	5
	2	2	0	23	4
	11	0	2	41	8
	5	0	0	14	1
	0	0	0	5	2
	0	0	0	2 2	0
	3	0	0	2	0
	3 2	0	0	12	1
	1	0	1	1	0
	0	0	0	2	0
	0	0	0	3	2

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M-375: GROSS PROCEEDS FROM PRIMARY PUBLIC OFFERINGS OF CON

	Total Business	Manufac- turing	Extrac- tive	Electric Gas and Water	Tra por tio
			A	mounts in \$	mill
1981	14,238	4,021	1,348	4,427	4
1982	13,298	2,683	252	5,162	3
1983	29,400	12,654	1,132	3,648	2,0
Year to date		,	-,	0,010	_,-
1983 Jan-Feb	3,636	1,729	418	600	2
1984 Jan-Feb p	1,388	510	29	150	
1982 Dec	2,905	458	37	554	
1983 Jan	1,758	738	379	370	
Feb	1,878	991	39	230	1
rep	1,0/0	991	39	230	1
1983 Dec	1,802	590	5	259	3
1984 Jan	947	361	14	105	
Feb p	441	149	15	45	
				Number of	issu
1981	1,135	396	221	107	
1982	745	219	68	101	
1983	1,727	699	60	83	
Year to date	-,	-			
1983 Jan-Feb	173	73	12	12	
1984 Jan-Feb p	205	71	15	5	
1982 Dec	103	32	5	8	
1983 Jan	76	31	9	. 8	
Feb	97	42	3	4	
1983 Dec	164	62	2	7	
1984 Jan	116	38	9	3	
Feb p	89	33	. 6	2	

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CONVENTIONAL COMMON STOCK, BY INDUSTRY 1981 - 1984

Trans- porta- tion	Commu- nication	Sales and Consumer Finance	Financial and Real Estate	Commer- cial and Other
millions				
400	1,667	0	673	1,703
391	2,122	1	691	1,996
2,056	1,644	5	2,205	6,056
272	55	0	118	444
49	45	0	183	422
22	1,361	0	54	418
86	37	0	40	109
186	18	0	78	335
382	7	0	72	486
34	30 c	0	128	274
15	15	0	56	148
issues				
31	35	0	84	261
24	22	2	82	227
59	44	1	166	615
8	6	0	16	46
6	10	0	26	72
2	4	0	7	45
3	4	0	6	15
2 3 5	2	0	10	31
7	1	0	11	74
7 3 3	6	0	13	44
3	4	0	13	28

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M-376: GROSS PROCEEDS FROM OTHER PRIMARY PUBLIC EX

	Total Business	Manufac- turing	Extrac-	Electric Gas and Water	1
				Amounts in	\$ m:
1981	10,988	34	5,206	10	
1982	9,899	44	5,381	0	
1983 Year to date	15,317	33	6,031	0	
1983 Jan-Feb	2,151	16	789	0	
1984 Jan-Feb p	3,095	0	900	ő	
1982 Dec	571	22	167	0	
1983 Jan	1,026	0	499	0	
Feb	1,125	16	290	0	
1983 Dec	1,432	2	348	0	
1984 Jan	1,509	0	782	0	
Feb p	1,586	0	118	0	
				Number o	of is
1981	612	71	231	1	
1982	589	56	171	1	
1983 Year to date	765	124	138	4	
1983 Jan-Feb	99	13	19	1	
1984 Jan-Feb p	113	12	19	0	
1982 Dec	43	7	7	0	
1983 Jan	40	3	10	0	
Feb	59	10	9	1	
1983 Dec	75	16	8	1	
1984 Jan	52	5	11	0	
Feb p	61	7	8	0	

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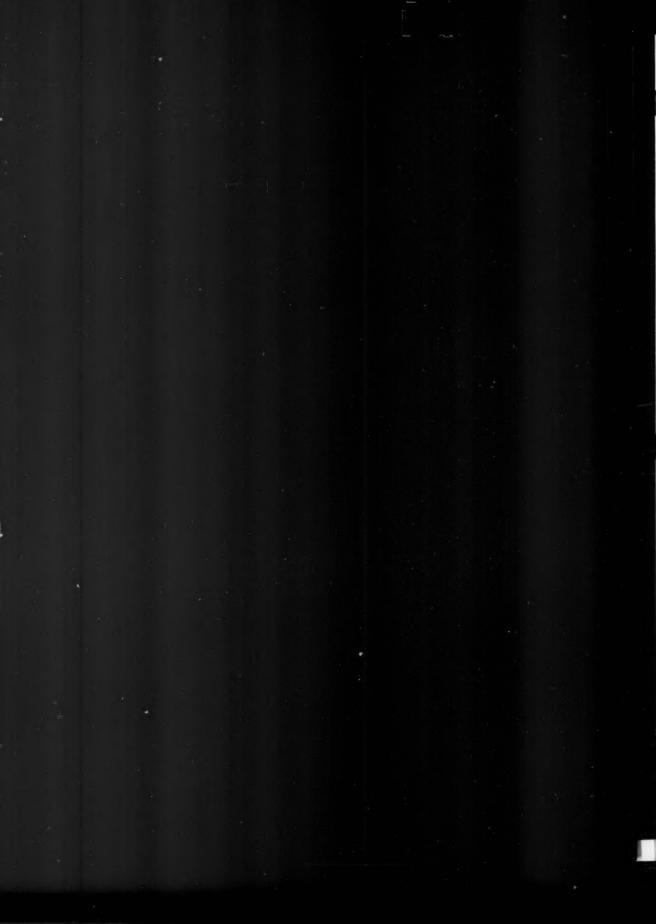
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	Trans- porta- tion	Commu- nication	Sales and Consumer Finance	Financial and Real Estate	Commer- cial and Other	
\$	millions					
	255	107	0	4,941	435	
	206	73	0	3,464	730	
	269	207	0	7,580	1,198	
	57	150	0	1,040	98	
	20	5	0	1,849	322	
	0	0	0	314	68	
	57	150	0	296	24	
	0	0	0	744	74	
	0	5	0	1,060	16	
	20	0	0	706	2	
	0	5	0	1,143	320	
f	issues					
	15	13	1	162	118	
	18	11	0	200	132	
	18	20	1	232	228	
	2 2	4	0	33	27	
	2	4	0	39	37	
	0	1	0	16	12	
	2	3	0	13	9	
	0	1	0	20	18	
	0	1	0	26	23	
	1	1	0	17	17	
	1	3	0	22	20	

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ck, such as limited partnership interests, voting



EXPLANATORY NOTES

Primary Public Securities Offerings

The Commission's statistical series on primary offerings includes primary issues offered to the public for cash and registered with the Commission pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, or exempted from registration pursuant to the Regulation A or other exemption. Generally excluded from the series are: issues of less than \$100,000; debt securities with maturities of less than one year; secondary offerings; non-cash offerings; issues exempt under Section 2(1) of the Securities Act of 1933; domestic government securities; offerings of non-profit and/or charitable groups; securities offered only on an intrastate basis; employee stock plans; open-end investment company issues; intracorporate securities transactions and sales to foreign purchasers. Issues registered for offering and later withdrawn are excluded from these offerings data but are included and shown separately in Total Effective Registrations (Table M-450).

The registration statements filed with the Commission by issuers are the primary sources of information for registered offerings. For some registrations, the offering date may fall in a later month than the effective date of such "shelf" registrations. Prior to January 1977, such offerings and registrations were accounted for in their respective months. In the statistics published for January 1977 through April 1982, however, when the use of such shelf registrations for primary cash offerings usually entailed only competitively-bid offerings, the registration and offering of such securities were both accounted for in the month of registration. With the adoption of Rule 415 (a)(1)(i) [17 CFR 230.415(a)(1)(i)] (the "shelf rule"), the value of securities registered for delayed offering rose dramatically and accounting for the offering of such securities in the month registered rather than in the month in which the offering to the public actually took place would seriously distort the offerings data. Accordingly, securities registered in shelf registrations since May 1982 appear in the registration statistics (Tables M-450 through M-480) in the month of registration and in the offering statistics (Tables M-350 through M-376) in the month of offering.

Information on interstate public offerings of securities exempt from SEC registration requirements, which is shown separately in Table M-350, is obtained from the Federal Reserve Board. Types of securities included are railroad equipment trust certificates, mortgage-backed bonds of savings and loan associations, or corporate bonds which are guaranteed as to principle and interest by the United States Government.

Explanatory Notes, Primary Public Securities Offerings (continued)

Corporate offerings include securities offered by corporations and non-corporate business enterprises such as limited partnerships. Foreign government offerings include offerings of foreign governments, foreign government agencies and foreign government-owned enterprises.

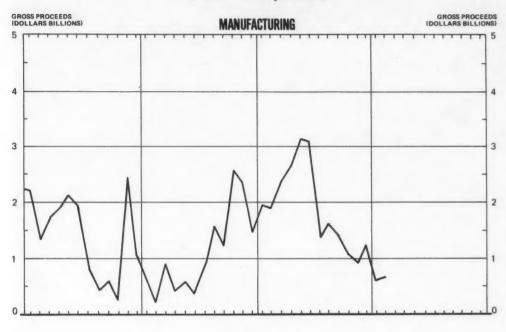
The industry classifications used in the offering tables should be nearly self-explanatory. The communication group includes telephone utilities. The commercial and other industry group covers agriculture, construction, wholesale and retail trade, and all service activities other than financial services.

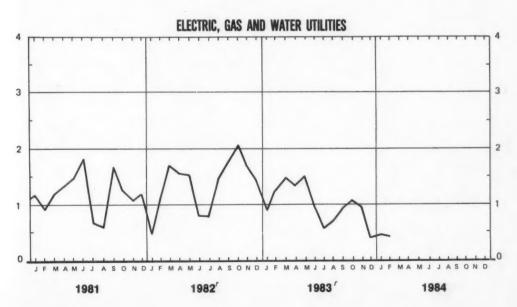
The security types used in the offering tables are non-convertible (straight) bonds, convertible bonds, preferred stocks, common stocks and other equity offerings. The convertible bond category includes only those issues which are convertible into common stock. The preferred stock group includes convertible preferred stock. The conventional common stock category is restricted to the conventional ownership shares of corporate business (including common shares issued by closed-end investment companies). The other equity group consists largely of ownership securities issued by non-corporate businesses, (i.e. limited partnerships), but also rights and warrants offered by corporations, certificates of participation, shares of benefical interest, voting trust certificates and certificates of deposit for stock. Depository receipts are not included in the offering statistics.

All figures are subject to revision. Revised figures will be indicated by an "r".

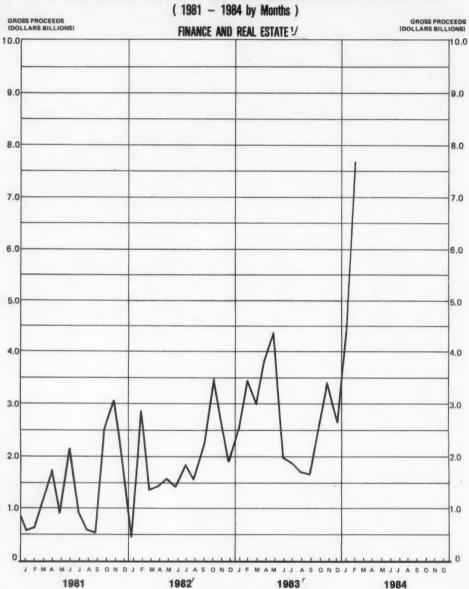
NEW PUBLIC SECURITIES OFFERED FOR CASH SALE BY INDUSTRY OF ISSUER

(1981 - 1984 by Months)



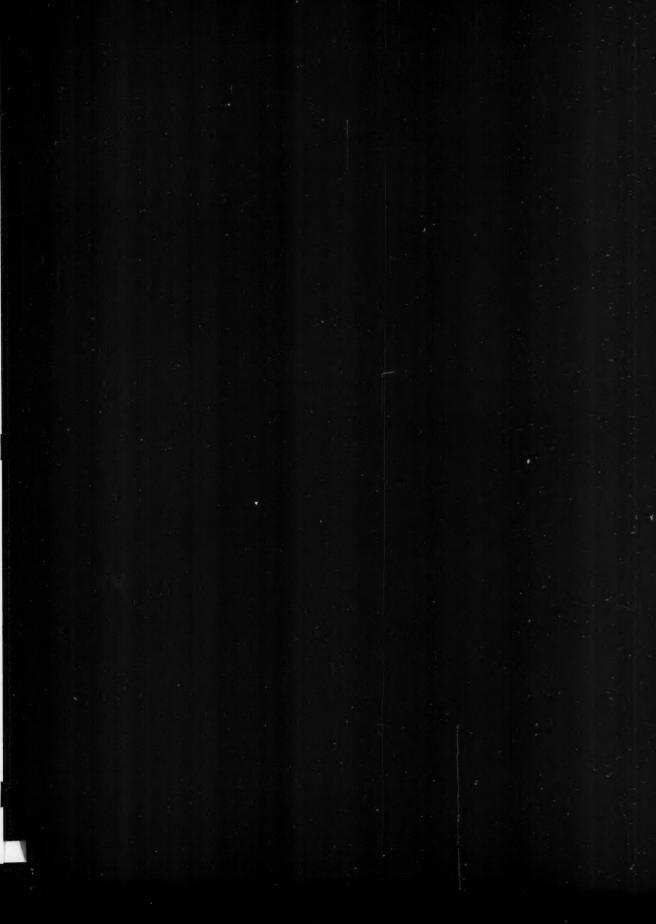


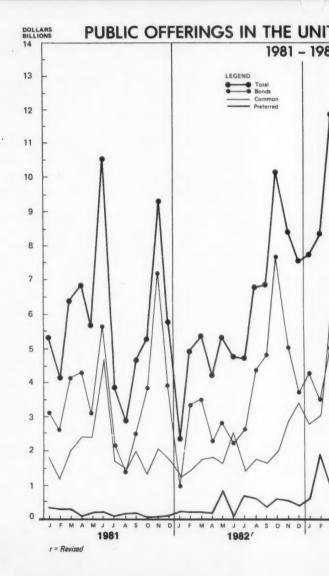
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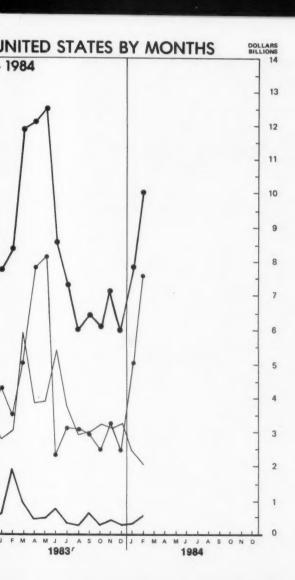


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M-450: TOTAL REGISTRATIONS, IMMEDIATE AND EXTEN (Under Securities

	Total	Immediate Cash		Sales	Ext
	Effective			Second-	
	Registrt.	Total	Primary	ary	Total
				An	nounts in
1981	146,261	68,094	66,816	1,278	25,145
1982	185,460	53,391	51,770	1,621	81,960
1983	239,577	57,705	52,287	5,418	106,536
Year to date	239,311	31,103	32,207	2,410	100,550
1983 Jan-Feb	26,774	9,704	9,328	376	11,075
1984 Jan-Feb p	30,903	8,166	7,978	188	17,152
1304 Jail-reb p	30,903	0,100	1,910	100	17,132
1982 Dec	21,370	6,033	5,682	351	9,194
1983 Jan	12,317	3,659	3,580	79	6,456
Feb	14,457	6,045	5,748	297	4,619
1983 Dec	16,953	4,203	3,686	517	9,258
1984 Jan	11,921	3,263	3,151	112	5,804
Feb p	18,983	4,904	4,827	77	11,349
				N	mber of
1001	2 121	2 226	1 000	220	1 021
1981	7,131	2,236	1,998	238	1,831
1982	6,539	1,781	1,644	137	2,291
1983	10,296	2,858	2,348	510	2,791
Year to date					
1983 Jan-Feb	1,161	327	284	43	366
1984 Jan-Feb p	1,446	353	316	37	388
1982 Dec	702	221	183	38	185
1983 Jan	513	130	117	13	185
Feb	648	197	167	30	181
1983 Dec	988	260	212	48	261
1984 Jan	767	183	158	25	208
Feb p	679	170	158	12	180
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EXTENDED CASH SALES, AND NON-CASH SALES 1981 - 1984 rities Act of 1933)

Extended Cash Sales			Non-Cash Sales				
	Investment	Issuer			Second-	With-	
tal	Companies	Direct	Total	Primary	ary	drawals	
s in	\$ millions						
,145	N.A.	25,145	53,022	50,599	2,423	76	
,960	N.A.	81,960	50,109	45,423	4,686	65	
,536	N.A.	106,536	75,336	70,018	5,318	53	
,075	N.A.	11,075	5,995	5,573	422	0	
,152	N.A	17,152	5,585	4,983	602	0	
,194	N.A.	9,194	6,143	5,208	935	0	
,456	N.A.	6,456	2,202	2,056	146	0	
,619	N.A.	4,619	3,793	3,517	276	50	
,258	N.A.	9,258	3,492	3,213	279	0	
,804	N.A.	5,804	2,854	2,361	493	0	
,349	N.A.	11,349	2,730	2,621	109	0	
of i	issues						
,831	524	1,307	3,064	2,782	282	8	
,291	425	1,866	2,467	2,163	304	24	
,791	365	2,426	4,647	4,244	403	2	
366	29	337	468	421	.47	1	
388	78	310	705	648	57	0	
185	22	163	296	258	38	0	
185	11	174	198	173	25	0	
181	18	163	270	248	22	1	
261	35	226	467	435	32	0	
208	42	166	376	347	29	0	
180	36	144	329	301	28	0	

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M-455: SECURITIES REGISTRATIONS FOR (Under Securities

Primary Corporate Registra

Stock

	Total	Debt	Preferred	l C	ommon
				Unsea-	Seas-
				soned	soned
				Amounts in	\$ mill
1981	68,093	36,933	1,691	3,162	10,951
1982	53,390	25,531	4,575	1,588	9,560
1983	57,703	16,514	4,962	7,527	13,391
Year to date					
1983 Jan-Feb	9,703	3,249	2,237	491	1,737
1984 Jan-Feb p	8,166	3,950	775	664	524
1982 Dec	6,034	1,879	364	289	2,583
1983 Jan	3,658	1,795	389	106	821
Feb	6,045	1,454	1,848	385	916
1983 Dec	4,202	1,031	215	885	415
1984 Jan	3,263	1,404	260	425	399
Feb p	4,904	2,546	515	239	125
				Nu	mber of
1981	2,236	468	48	557	420
1982	1,781	418	88	317	309
1983 Year to date	2,858	282	85	847	573
1983 Jan-Feb	327	59	26	56	70
1984 Jan-Feb p	353	58	11	137	30
1982 Dec	221	38	9	44	51
1983 Jan	130	30	7	21	31
Feb	197	29	19	35	39
1983 Dec	260	17	5	106	26
1984 Jan	183	23	4	74	22
Feb p	170	35	7	63	8
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FOR IMMEDIATE CASH SALES: 1981 - 1984 ties Act of 1933)

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on eas-	and other Equity	partner- ships	Investment Companies	Secondary Offerings	Govern- ments
oned					
nilli	ons				
,951	346	10,529	10	1,278	3,194
560	303	9,265	121	1,621	827
391	1,116	8,130	196	5,418	449
,737	318	1,096	0	376	200
524	102	1,836	28	188	. 99
,583	98	469	0	351	0
821	118	351	0	79	0
916	200	745	0	297	200
415	485	641	14	517	0
399	2	641	20	112	0
125	100	1,195	8	77	99
r of	issues				
420	183	299	2	238	21
309	150	339	6	137	17
573	278	271	9	510	3
70	34	38	0	43	1
30	41	36	2	37	1
51	23	18	0	38	0
31	11	17	0	13	0
39	23	21	0	30	1
26	34	23	1	48	0
22	19	15	1	25	0
8	22	21	1	12	1

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Foreign

M-460: UNSEASONED SECURITIES RE

Primary Corporate

	Total	Debt	Preferred
			Amounts in
1981	15,382	1,475	21
1982	10,486	1,123	6
1983	20,163	1,993	98
Year to date			
1983 Jan-Feb	2,068	124	43
1984 Jan-Feb p	3,899	1,132	175
1982 Dec	984	147	0
1983 Jan	691	114	1
Feb	1,377	10	42
1983 Dec	2,415	239	0
1984 Jan	1,394	257	0
Feb p	2,505	875	175
			Number of
1981	1,137	43	4
1982	836	43	4
1983	1,627	64	6
Year to date 1983 Jan-Feb	139	7	3
1984 Jan-Feb p	260	22	1
1964 Jan-reb p	200	42	1
1982 Dec	99	7	0
1983 Jan	55	5	1
Feb	84	2	2
1983 Dec	191	3	0
1984 Jan	127	5	0
Feb p	133	17	1

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S REGISTRATIONS: 1981 - 1984

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Stock

1 0	common	partner- ships	Other
Primary		Sillps	Equity
II Illicit y	Secondary		
in \$ mill	ions		
3,152	539	9,958	237
1,590	259	7,308	200
7,652	1,946	7,689	783
491	141	1,096	172
671	79	1,756	85
289	115	367	65
106	1	351	118
385	140	745	54
899	156	641	480
425	51	661	0
246	28	1,095	85
of issues			
556	124	279	131
318	44	323	104
850	242	263	202
56	12	38	23
138	26	36	37
44	15	16	17
21	1	17	10
35	11	21	13
107	33	23	25
74	16	16	16
64	10	20	21

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M-465: SECURITIES REGISTRATIONS FOR DEL (Under Securities

				t Company		****
		Corporate		Unit Invest-		Savin & Thr
		Delayed	Open-End	ment	Other	Plans
					Amou	ints in
	1981	75	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	8,7
	1982	52,578	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	11,1
	1983	71,598	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	10,6
Year to	date					
1983 Jan	-Feb	7,727	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,5
1984 Jan		13,036	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,5
	0					
1982	Dec	7,587	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	3
1983	Jan	4,164	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,2
	Feb	3,563	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	3
1983	Dec	5,293	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,8
1984	Jan	2,720	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,3
	Feb p	10,316	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	2
					Nu	mber o
	1981	1	113	397	14	2
	1982	274	162	232	31	2
	1983	717	166	171	28	3
Year to					-	-
1983 Jan		88	16	11	2	
1984 Jan		74	45	24	9	
1982	Dec	32	19	1	2	
1983	Jan	45	7	4	0	
	Feb	43	9	7	2	
1983	Dec	61	16	17	2	
1984	Jan	39	25	9	8	
	Feb p	35	20	15	1	

N.A. = Not Available

c = correction

p = preliminary + = Less than \$500,000.

DELAYED AND EXTENDED CASH SALE: 1981 - 1984 rities Act of 1933)

Offerings To Employees and Others

*****	******	******	******	*******	
avings Thrift lans	Stock Option Plans	Stock Purchase Plans	Incentive Compensa- tion Plans	Dividend Reinvest- ment Plans	Deposi- tory Receipts
s in \$ m	illions				
8,719	5,743	3,824	1,058	5,741	60
11,148	9,603	2,585	621	5,398	27
10,668	11,688	3,103	1,702	7,744	33
1,566	1,017	217	160	381	7
1,589	1,343	228	71	885	0
390	524	145	5	540	3
1,202	524	90	147	326	3
364	493	127	13	55	4
1,827	1,205	247	192	494	0
1,334	694	131	41	884	+ c
255	649	97	30	2	0
er of is	sues				
281	533	171	70	144	108
254	894	207	57	135	45
376	894	230	66	105	38
39	131	37	12	17	13
50	140	22	12	11	1
20	74	18	1	12	6
25	61	17	8	12	6
14	70	20	4	5	7
45	74	27	7	11	1
25	72	12	7	10	1
25	60	10	E	1	0

M-470: SECURITIES REGISTERED FOR (Under Securities

	Exchange
Total	Transactions
	Amounts in \$
53,022	36,560
50,110	34,308
75,336	46,546
5,995	2,300
5,585	2,992
6,143	3,571
2,202	937
3,793	1,363
3,492	2,047
2,854	1,117
2,731	1,874
	Number of
3,064	676
2,467	886
4,647	886
468	118
705	130
296	63
198	49
270	69
467	60
376	59
329	71
	(See E
	50,110 75,336 5,995 5,585 6,143 2,202 3,793 3,492 2,854 2,731 3,064 2,467 4,647 4,647 468 705 296 198 270 467 376

FOR NON-CASH SALE: 1981 - 1984 ties Act of 1933)

	Reserve for Conversions	Warrants Options and Others	Secondary Offerings
n \$	millions		
	9,429	4,610	2,423
	6,899	4,216	4,686
	13,112	10,360	5,318
	2,166	1,107	422
	830	1,161	602
	1,175	462	935
	661	458	146
	1,505	649	276
	444	722	279
	577	667	493
	253	494	109
of	issues		
	234	1,872	282
	181	1,096	304
	301	3,057	403
	46	257	47
	25	493	57
	23	172	38
	19	105	25
	27	152	22
	16	359	32
	14	274	29
	11	219	28

See Explanatory Notes)

M-475: CORPORATE SECURITIES ISSUES BY METHOD OF DIST

			Underwritten			Agend *******		
					Pre-			
			Total	Debt	ferred	Common	Total	Deb
							Amoun	ts in
		1981	46,678	32,499	1,678	12,451	10,139	1,20
		1982	36,674	21,570	4,558	10,546	9,935	1,30
		1983	40,826	16,049	4,918	19,859	8,454	15
V	ear to		.0,020	20,015	.,,,,,	20,000	0,.0.	
_	983 Jan		7,368	3,011	2,220	2,137	1,346	8
	984 Jan		5,477	3,766	771	940	1,975	18
-	1904 Gail	red p	3/4//	3,700	//1	340	1,513	20
	1982	Dec	4,935	1,722	364	2,850	497	
	1983	Jan	2,882	1,608	374	900	327	3
	2300	Feb	4,486	1,403	1,846	1,237	1,019	- 7
			.,	2,100	2,010	-,	2,023	
	1983	Dec	2,243	998	215	1,030	989	
	1984	Jan	2,358	1,400	260	699	602	
		Feb p		2,366	511	242	1,373	18
				-,			-,	
							Numb	er of
		1981	1,248	401	42	804	496	
		1982	873	344	80	449	517	
		1983	1,501	252	76	1,173	602	
-	Year to		1,501	252	10	1,1/3	002	
-	1983 Jar		176	51	23	102	75	
	1984 Jan			53	10	98	116	
-	1904 Jai	-ren p	101	53	10	96	110	
	1982	Dec	129	29	9	91	36	
	1983	Jan	70	24	5	41	30	
	2303	Feb	106	27	18	61	45	
		100	200		10	OI	43	
	1983	Dec	131	15	5	111	52	
	1984	Jan	86	21	4	61	49	
		Feb p		32	6	37	67	
							3,	

(See Explanat

Figures may not add due to rounding p = preliminary

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DISTRIBUTION AND BY TYPE OF SECURITY: 1981 - 1984 der The Securities Act of 1933)

	est Effort		Direct By Issuer								
	Pre-			Pre-							
Debt ferred Common			Total	Debt	ferred	Common					
s in \$ m	illions										
1,206	4	8,929	6,689	3,091	10	3,589					
1,305	10	8,620	4,138	2,589	6	1,542					
152	16	8,286	2,543	339	28	2,176					
83	0	1,263	413	155	17	241					
181	0	1,794	427	4	4	419					
44	0	452	252	114	0	138					
34	0	293	370	153	15	202					
49	0	970	43	2	2	39					
2	0	987	453	30	0	423					
1	0	601	191	4	0	187					
180	0	1,193	236	0	4	232					
of iss	ues										
20	1	457	234	48	5	181					
30	3	484	228	44	5	179					
15	2	585	237	17	7	213					
5	0	70	32	3	3	26					
4	0	112	38	1	1	36					
2	0	34	15	7	0	8					
4	0	26	17	2	2	13					
1	0	44	15	1	1	13					
1	0	51	29	1	0	28					
1	0	48	23	1	0	22					
3	0	64	15	0	1	14					

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Security Registrations

All registrations which became effective under the Securities Act of 1933 are included. Total Effective Registrations, Table M-450, includes cash and non-cash issues. Issues are included as of the effective date.

The primary corporate offerings classification includes registered offerings for immediate cash sale where the proceeds of the offering are received by the issuing corporations. Secondary offerings are registrations of outstanding securities where the proceeds of the issue do not accrue to the issuing company. The dollar amount for either type of offering is based on the registered offering price. The unseasoned common stock classification includes public offerings by companies registering common stock for the first time under the Securities Act of 1933. The other equity securities classification consists of offerings of certificates of participation or beneficial interests, warrants or options, voting trust certificates and other equity securities not elsewhere classified.

Issues offered for extended cash sale include investment company issues, employee plans and depository receipts. Depository receipts include American, European and domestic depository receipts. The foreign government classification is shown separately, whereas registrations by foreign corporations are included with U.S. domestic corporate offerings. Investment company securities include open-end, face-amount and unit trust offerings, as well as variable annuities.

1/ Closed-end investment company securities are included in primary corporate offerings.

Beginning with the July 1982 Review, Table M-465 ²/ has been modified combining certain investment company registrations and separately reporting registrations for delayed corporate offerings. The investment company registrations for face amounts and variable annuities have been combined in one figure listed under the column headed "Other". The Corporate delayed registrations include "shelf" registrations and competitive bids that are registered but not offered in the month in which they are registered. Principally these are registrations for delayed offerings registered pursuant to Rule 415(a) (1)(i) [17CFR 230.415 (a)(1)(i)].

Issues registered for other non-cash purposes, such as exchange transations, securities given for property or services, or securities reserved for conversion, are valued at current market prices.

Data on withdrawals, in Table M-450, include the number and amount of registration statements that have been completely withdrawn.

¹¹ Beginning with January 1978, the total amount registered for investment companies was eliminated. However, total registrations of investment companies was retained in the tables due to the adoption by the Commission of Rule 24f-2 [17 CFR 270.24f-2], effective November 3, 1977. This rule allows certain registered investment companies to register an indefinite number of securities for sale. Each issuer must file a notice at the end of the fiscal year identifying the number of securities sold and remit the corresponding registration fee.

PUBLIC AVAILABILITY OF THE NEW, UNIFIED ROS FILE

The SEC has prepared a new, unified computer tape containing the Registrations and Offerings Statistics File ("ROS File"). The ROS File contains a record of each offering registered under the Securities Act of 1933 and each offering exempt from registration under Regulation A of that Act.

Previously, the ROS File was available on two computer tapes, one covering the period 1970 through 1976 and another covering 1977 through the first ten months of 1981. Now the ROS File tape covers records from January 1970 to within four months of the currently published month. Each record contains 92 possible variables identifying characteristics of an issue and its issuer. Records for the period January 1970 to December 1976 have possible entries for only 54 of the 92 variables on the complete record layout.

All records contain data on security type, type of offering, price per security, dollar amount of the offering, method of distribution and whether the sale is of a primary or secondary nature. CUSIP numbers have been included for securities which have been assigned such identification. Issuer data include SIC (industry) Code, issuer's name and Zip Code.

The later records, for the years 1977 to present, include additional detailed data on underwriter's name, spread, reallowances and selected financial data relating to the issuing firm.

The computer tape of the ROS File has been provided to the National Archives and Records Service of the General Services Administration. Copies of the ROS File tape and related documentation are available for purchase from that agency. Interested parties can make arrangements with the Archives to obtain the computer tape in a configuration which will be compatible with the user's hardware. Requests for copies should be sent to the Machine Readable Archives Branch, National Archives and Records Service, Washington, D.C. 20408. The price per copy is \$86.00 plus \$17.00 for documentation (subject to change), payable to the National Archives Trust Fund. In ordering, please refer to item Number NN 3-266-73-207. Shipment will be made within six weeks of receipt of the order. Additional information about the ROS File is available from the Directorate of Economic and Policy Analysis, Branch of Disclosure Policy Analysis, (202) 272-7408.

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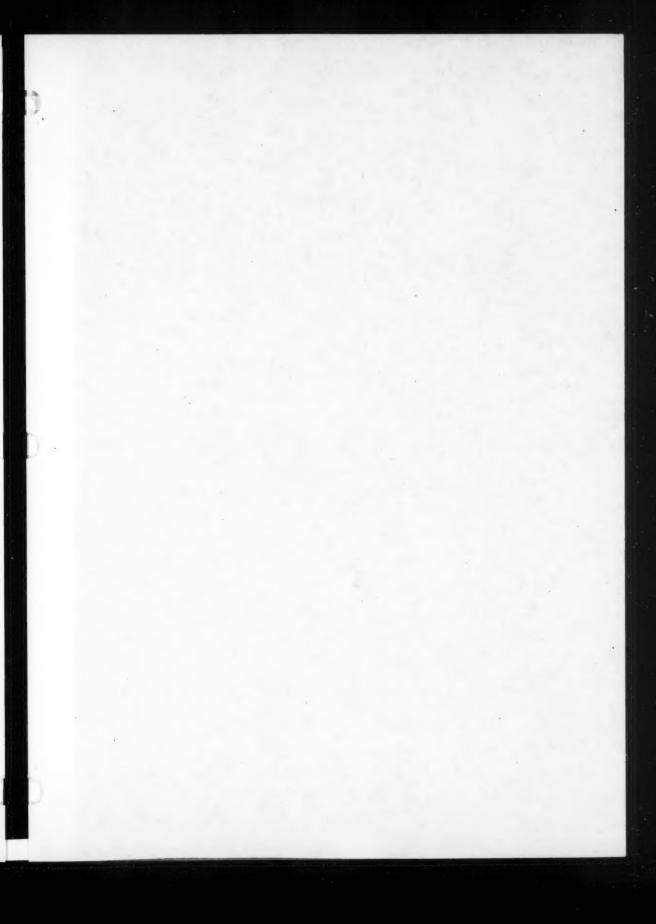
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